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House of Representatives

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Saturday, January 3, 2009, at 11 a.m.

Senate

FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, 2009

(Legislative day of Wednesday, December 10, 2008)

The Senate met at 10 and 2 seconds a.m., on the expiration of the recess, and was called to order by the Honorable JEFF BINGAMAN, a Senator from the State of New Mexico.

APPOINTMENT OF ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will please read a communication to the Senate from the President pro tempore (Mr. BYRD).

The legislative clerk read the following letter:

U.S. SENATE,
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE,
Washington, DC, January 2, 2009.

To the Senate:

Under the provisions of rule I, section 3, of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby appoint the Honorable JEFF BINGAMAN, a Senator from the State of New Mexico, to perform the duties of the Chair.

ROBERT C. BYRD,
President pro tempore.

Mr. BINGAMAN thereupon assumed the chair as Acting President pro tempore.

ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate stands adjourned sine die under the provisions of H. Con. Res. 440.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 10 and 33 seconds a.m., adjourned sine die.

• This "bullet" symbol identifies statements or insertions which are not spoken by a Member of the Senate on the floor.



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Daily Digest

Highlights

Second Session of the 110th Congress adjourned sine die.
See Interim Résumé of Congressional Activity.

Senate

Chamber Action

Senate met at 10:00:02 a.m. in pro forma session, and in accordance with the provisions of H. Con. Res. 440, adjourned sine die at 10:00:33 a.m. until 12 noon, on Tuesday, January 6, 2009.

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. The House is scheduled to meet at 11 a.m. on Saturday, January 3, 2009, pursuant to the provisions of H. Con. Res. 440.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Interim Résumé of Congressional Activity

SECOND SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House.

The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3, 2008 through January 2, 2009

	<i>Senate</i>	<i>House</i>	<i>Total</i>
Days in session	184	118	..
Time in session	988 hrs., 31'	890 hrs., 29'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	10,981	10,976	..
Extensions of Remarks .....	..	2,386	..
Public bills enacted into law	99	179	..
Private bills enacted into law .....	..	..	..
Bills in conference	4	5	..
Measures passed, total	589	999	1,588
Senate bills	109	95	..
House bills	178	427	..
Senate joint resolutions	5	5	..
House joint resolutions	4	3	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	24	6	..
House concurrent resolutions	38	94	..
Simple resolutions	231	369	..
Measures reported,* total	452	404	856
Senate bills	295	4	..
House bills	127	292	..
Senate joint resolutions	3	1	..
House joint resolutions	1	..	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	2	..	..
House concurrent resolutions	3	5	..
Simple resolutions	22	102	..
Special reports	8	8	..
Conference reports .....	..	4	..
Measures pending on calendar	665	92	..
Measures introduced, total	1,590	3,225	4,815
Bills	1,217	2,410	..
Joint resolutions	19	26	..
Concurrent resolutions	43	165	..
Simple resolutions	311	624	..
Quorum calls	3	2	..
Yea-and-nay votes	215	472	..
Recorded votes .....	..	216	..
Bills vetoed .....	..	4	..
Vetoed overridden .....	..	3	..

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3, 2008 through January 2, 2009

Civilian nominations, totaling 508 (including 180 nominations carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	269
Withdrawn	40
Returned to White House	199
Other Civilian nominations, totaling 3,124 (including 8 nominations carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	2,960
Returned to White House	164
Air Force nominations, totaling 5,931 (including 5 nominations carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	5,925
Withdrawn	1
Returned to White House	5
Army nominations, totaling 6,425 (including 19 nominations carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	6,351
Withdrawn	1
Returned to White House	73
Navy nominations, totaling 4,752 (including 3 nominations carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	4,715
Withdrawn	1
Returned to White House	36
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 1,566 (including 1 nomination carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	1,565
Returned to White House	1

*These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 274 written reports have been filed in the Senate, a total of 415 reports have been filed in the House.

<i>Summary</i>		Total confirmed	21,785
		Total unconfirmed	0
Total nominations carried over from the First Session	216	Total withdrawn	43
Total nominations received this Session	22,090	Total returned to the White House	478

Next Meeting of the SENATE

12 noon, Tuesday, January 6

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

11 a.m., Saturday, January 3

Senate Chamber

Program for Tuesday: Senate will convene the first session of the 111th Congress.

House Chamber

Program for Saturday: To be announced.



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